IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

STEFAAN VANHEESBEKE

Serial No.: To be assigned

Filed: Concurrently herewith

For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR CONTROLLING A SELECTION DEVICE WITH

SOLENOIDS FOR A WEAVING MACHINE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

To the Director of Patents and Trademarks Sir:

Before considering this application, kindly amend the application as follows:

In the Abstract:

Kindly enter and approve the abstract attached hereto. In the Specification:

Page 1, before line 4, insert:

--BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION Land

Page 5, before line 11, insert:

-- SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION -- 1.

Page 10, before line 9, insert:

--BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS-1.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS In the Claims: